The F. & P. M. R. R. is building a \$60,000 ppot, a \$15,000 machine shop and a \$10,00 round house, all of brick, at East Segi-

The entire western part of Vestaburg, a mall station on the Chicago, Saginaw and St. Louis railroad, with the depot buildings, 250,000 feet of lumber was burned as a late our this afternoon. The loss will reach \$40.

Judge Blodgett has decided adversely a petition of the Goodrich Transportation Co., for a limitation of liabilities growing out of the loss of the Str. Alpena on Lake Michigan, last Oct. The ciaims are mostly made by administrators of persons who lost their lives by the sinking of the vessel. The company petitioned to have its liability limited to it atterest in the lost steamer.

The soldiers of Allegan county will hold a reunion at Saugatuck, August 16 and 17. Gen. L. S. Trowbridge of Detroit w.li be invited to deliver an address.

The supervisor of Casev Huron county, in his return of the ship credits the w Frank A. Mintime with deliver on the first children on the state of th that town-frenk A. Minttine five children on the last. None of them

There have been no arrivals at the Jackson prison since the 30th of June, and the number of convicts in the institution has been reduced to 785. So far this menth 11 persons have been discharged, and 12 more will go out before August 1. There are 13 inmates in the insane ward, and 14 in hospital.

The ollowing are the latest postal service changes ordered for Michigan: Special service to be discontinued from Ann Arbor to Bright on and from Grand Portage to Minong. The special service from Ann Arbor to Hamburg will bereafter be sent from Ann Arbor to Hamburg will bereafter be sent from Ann Arbor to Whitmore lake to Hamburg and back six times a week. Special service will be established from Bitters to Ontario, Lenawse county, a new office being established at Ontario.

A man giving the name of Davis, and claim.

new office being established at Ontario.

A man giving the name of Davis, and claiming to represent the Detroit fish firm of H. S. Davis & Co., purchased a lot of goods on Monday, of Logas, Bially & McDonnel, hardware merchants of Bay City, to be shipped to Alpena. He then got the firm to indorse a check at a Bay City bank for \$250 on the Second National Bank at Detroit. Since then the firm has learned that Davis & Co. had no such man as Davis in their employ. The man Davis can not be found.

Harvest hands are in demand in the vicinity of Jackson at \$2,50 per day. The Gratiot county pioneer society will its next meeting at Ithaca, August 4.

The common council of Holly has ordered a complete outfit for a hook and ladder company.

matthew Reed, a farmer living at Couvis, was badly bitten in the hand by a rattlesnake, Saturday last.

bewirg & Son's warehouse at Kaiamazoo, was burned on Monday.

Webber, Just & Co., bankers of Ionia are to be succeeded Aug. I, by A. J. Webber & Son.

The corn crop in some parts of St. Joseph county is being injured by worms. They work n the small end of the ear.

George Andrews of Flint has a piano that was built in 1810, and it is claimed it is the oldest instrument of the kind in the state.

A state temperance camp meeting to continue five days, will be held on the fair grounds at Jackson the latter part of August.

The official list of property in Vermont show total value of \$163,391,898. Last year it wass

Prof. Crocker is busily engaged on the third dition of his physiological work, and expects soon to have the manuscript ready for the

rinter.
The army worms have made their uppearance on farms south and west of Sturgis, and are eating up the corn and oat crops. Mrs. Dotten sues the village of Albion for damages, placed at \$5,000, said to have been received by falling through a hole in a cross-

A large fire at East Saginaw destroyed property valued at \$200,000. Insurance \$100,-

Fifty thousand feet of lumber was burned at Muskegon by a spark from a passing steamer.

Loss \$2,000.

Annual reunion of the Hillsdale County veterans at Jonesyille about Sept. 1.

A Traverse City firm is shipping frogs to Cincipnati.

ings this season.

The soldiers monument at Detroit, has been completed at a total cost of 70,000. The allegorical statues by Rogers were unveiled with appropriate ceremonies.

A criff Wm. Townsend was crossing Cedar L. Lapeer, Mr. E. T. Woodruff, register to the came along riding a bicycle, and tipping against Mr. I ownsend threw him down. He struck his for bead on the stone pavement with such violences to render him insensible. He is quite severely hurt, but it is hoped not dangerously.

The dwelling house of J. M. Armstrong at onla, was destroyed by fire, caused by a destive chimney.

Wm. Cathkart, of Big Rapids, a young man who went to Idaho a few years ago, poor, has struck a \$69,000 streak of luck in a mine. An Indian camp meeting will be held at the camp grounds on the Saginaw and Mt. Pleasant railroad, a few miles from Mt. Pleasant, ommencing Angust 10 and continuing until late the following Sunday evening.

Fourth peninsular saengerfest at Grand apids, beginning Aug. 22.

Muskegon has a model justice of the peace.
When he heard of a row instead of calling in a policeman, he quietly pulls off his coat and quells the disturbance himself. His name is McLaughlin.

A +20,000 station is proposed by the Grand Trunk at Port Hope. Trunk at Port Hope.

The President's improvement is slow but undorm. A morsel of clothing, about one-quarter of an inch square, came away spontaneously with the pus from the deeper part of the wound. It proved, on examination, to consist chiefly of cotton fibres, with a few woolen fibres adhering.

The Petroit Light Infantry, the Detroit Scott Guards and the new company organized at Calumet, have been accepted as part of the state militia.

The reunion of the 5th and 22d Infantry will be held August 31st at Mt. Clemeus. The annual meeting of the vacomb and St. Clair solors association will also be held at the same

The state military board has decided to send six companies of state militia to the Yorktown celebration. The men are to furnish their own subsistence, and the companies to be selected by competitive drill. The contract for 1,000 uniforms has been awarded to Col. Price of Grand Rapids.

A man arrested in Chicago while trying to eli stolen railroad tickets, gave his name as amos Gates, but preves to be William Butler, f Banton Harbor, Mich. He was taken to Yabash, Ind., where the tickets were stolen, stand trial. The tickets were valued at \$600.

James A. Foster of Detroit is dead. James A. Foster of Detroit, is dead. He chieved national fame as inventor and man-facturer of "Foster's patent union leg," and ore an artificial limb bimself, having lost one f his legs at an early age.

The Ionia light-guard have decided to accept to proposition to go to Yorktown, paying its wn subsistence, other expenses being defray. I by the state.

Sarnia dealers complain of the number of baby carriages that are smuggled from Port Huron. The babies are carried over from Sar-nia in the mothers' arms, and are wheeled back

nia in the mothers' arms, and are wheeled back in new carriages.

A lunatic named George Madden amused himself at Adrian by sending telegrams to tarshallown, lows, announcing that he had been fatally subbed and requesting that the sews be sent to the police and given ten aluntes to leave town. He explained his action by saying that he wanted to see how such his relatives thought of him.

Considerable damage by lightening resulted for the recent storm at Niles.

Two boys aged 13, sons of Adrion Deboar and Martin Vanderen, Hollanders, were drowned at Grand Repids in water standing in an abandoned brick yard. They got into a hole a little beyond their cepth and could not swim. Nothing was known of their fate till late in the afternoon, when their clothes were discovered.

discovered.

J. M. Rice of Cadillac is the Republic nominee for judge of the 28th judicial circuit.

The state reform school for girls at Adrian will be open and ready to receive occupants August 1.

August 1.

With the 335 money order offices to be established in August, the number in the United States will be 54,999. Of the new offices the following are in Michigan: Bad Axe; Bancroft; Bluffton; Caledonia Station; Coucord; Douglas: Milan; Menden; Norway; Ravenna; St. Ignace; Sand Lake: Tuscola; Vernor; Webberville; West Branch.

It is proposed to buy and fit up Coolbaugh creek in Newaygo county for a state fish batchery.

The army worm is going for the out crop in Arlington township. Van Buren county. It also shows a liking for green corn, eating the heart from the growing stalks.

Judge Hooker has terminated the Jenkin's burgiary case at Charlotte by discharging the prisoner. The evidence showed that entrance to the building was made through the transom over a door, and didn't constitute burgiary. over a door, and didn't constitute burger.

The prisoner was immediately rearrested on charge of grand larceny.

One of the largest sales of copper ever made has just been closed with the Connecticut manufacturers. They have contracted for twenty million pounds of ingot to be delivered through the summer months at sixteen cents. This has taken the surplus off the market, and assured the sale of a great part of the summer production of some of the smaller mines. The mining companies now all breathe easier, and the price has advanced.

Bulfrey's broom factory at Sarnia destroyed by fire; total loss. Oil Inspector C. G. Luce, has paid into the treasury \$12,420, excess of receipts over expenditures in his department for the year ending June 30.

A large wildcat is prowling about the woods near Lapeer.

near Lapeer.

Portland has voted to build a new school building to cost not less than \$10,000 nor more than \$12,000. Any excess of the Yorktown appropriation for military, over the expense of transporta-tion and band, will be applied upon the cost of

Burgiars took Mrs. M. J. Donaber's watch and chain and other valuables from the room where she and her husband were sleeping in their house at Ludington. A boy 6 years old, son of Johanns Vos, Grand Haven, white playing on the logs Bailey's boom fell in and eves drowned.

Judge T. M. Cooley is suggested by Wash ington correspondents as the probable successor of the late Justice Chifford on the United States

John Graves of Oscoda had his arm badly mashed by mili machinery, necessitating am outation. County.

Presiding Elder Crawford of Ionia is an nounced as a candidate for the position of haplain at the Ionia house of correction. Judge Wells of Ionia, recently appointed consulat Rotterdam, Germany, has left for his post accompanied by his sister and two sons and daughter.

Sanilac county is dissatisfied with her new county seat, Sandusky, and another war is imminent. The Mt. Clemens Monitor declares that Sandusky is situated in the middle of a swamp five miles from nowhere.

It is thought probable that the new Saul canal will be opened about August 1. Mrs John Bowler and Mrs. Jerry Sullivan were injured at Lapeer by being thrown from a carriage while attending the funeral of a lady who died from injuries received in being thrown from a buggy while attending a funeral

A man named Henry McCormick, residing on a farm eight miles from Coleman statioz, in Isabelia county, has been arrested for the murder of John Pangman in Simcoe county, Ontario, June 22, 1870, by striking him with a club at a logging bee. club at a logging bee.

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A Traverse City firm is shipping frogs to Cincinnati.

The wheat crop of Ingham Co. is reported at less than an average yield.

Battle Oreak claims to have erected 300 buildings this season. did not tally with the bill of lading.

MISCELLA NEOUS. The star route cases go over until October. Fifteen hundred Wisconsin loggers have struck for a reduction of hours.

The village Wallace, sixteen miles north of Menominee, was destroyed by fire Monday morning. The place consisted of a saw mill and twenty other buildings.

The Louisville, New Albany and Chicago and the Chicago and Indianapotis railroads have been consolidated by the steckholders, Twenty-eight switchmen at Peoria, Ill., struck Monday, and in a row between them and some St. Louis men, who were to take their places, one man was fatally and another badly wounded.

Two outlaws killed five Indians near Atkin Minn., Monday. The murderers were arrested

Paul Held, a Minnesota farmer, became in-sane on Saturday and kided his wife and five of his children, wounded two other children des-perately, and kided himself.

Rapids, beginning Aug. 22.

The fire at Vestaburg swept away the whole town with the exception of one saloon and a few houses back in the woods.

The ploneers of Branch county will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the settlement of that county on the 3d day of August, at Coldwater.

The loss by the Saginaw fire is estimated at nearly \$200,000.

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A consolidation of the iron interests of St. Louis and Seutheastern Missouri has been effected and will hereafter be known as the Missouri Iron Co. It has a capital of \$10,000,000 and will control 90 per cent. of the iron product of the state.

The Universal Life Insurance Co, of New York was suspended three years ago, but managed ta secure a conditional reinstatement and has maintained a precarious existence since has finally succumbed and its president is doding ly succumbed a its interviewers.

The Syracuse N. Y. Opera house and sur rounding property has been burned. Loss \$460'000. Two more star route men arrested in Phila-

It is reported that a public school teacher at Chilleothe has fallen heir to an estate in Scotland valued at \$2,500,000.

The Treasury Department has decided that journalists can bring certain books for their libraries into the U.S. without duty, as "tools

The appearance of grasshoppers is reported from Dakota. During a thunder storm the Chicago bride well was struck by lightning and three in mates were injured.

A boiler explosion at Marietta, O., killed three men and badly injured two others.

Geo. W. Seward, a deaf mute, was arrested in Philadelphia yesterday while going from door to door of that city seliciting aid to defend the assassin Guiteau. In reply to a question Seward wrote on the slate "Guiteau is a Frenchman, I am a Frenchman, he is all right to kill Garfield." The prisoner was arraigned this morning and remanded for further hearing.

The export of provisions, tailow and dairy products for the first half of this year exceed the same period last year 10 per cent.

The exports of breedstuffs for the twelve months ending June 30 amoun ed to \$265,561, 828 against \$282,182,618 in the year preceding. A small fragment of bone and more shreds of clothing have come from the President's

The N. Y. legislature has elected Eibridge G. Lapham as U. S. senator, vice Conkling re-signed. A bronze statue to Gen. J. B. McPherson, has

unvelled at Clyde, O. Andrew D. White, United States minister at Berlin, will resume the presidency of Cor-nell university on his return next month. The American sleeping car company has been incorporated at Albany yesterday, with a capital of \$10,000,000

capital of \$10,000,000

The President has had a severe temporary relapse. He was taken with a severe chill lasting some prinutes, followed by more fever. His pulse rose to 130, and temperature to 104 The consulting physicians were telegraphed for and arrived by special train. Latest reports are more favorable. The unfavorable conditious have abated and the physicians are hopeful.

The striking timber men at Eau Claire, Wis, became so violent, that the militia was called out. There was also 200 special policemen on duly. Several of the ringleaders have been arrested and jailed.

Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Michigan, and Wis-

rested and jailed.

Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin report light yield of wheat and decreased acreage: Ohio good yield but small acreage; Wisconsin and west gains are promised. Corn will be abund int; so will oats except where the army worm has destroyed the crop in Illinois and Iowa.

The New York legislature has adjourned The New York legislature has adjourned sine die.

Gen. W. T. Sherman is making an inspection of the important army posts in the northwest. He spent two days in Detroit. He was accompanied by Gen. Hazen and Gen. Bacon.

Wm. McHugh killed his wife at Cincinnati because she asked him for money.

"RChief Justice Gray of Mass., and judges Appleton and Peters of Maine are among the names suggested for the U. S. supreme court vacancy.

FOREIGN.

The American ministers at Buenos Ayres and at Santiago, Chili, have overcome all difficulties attending the settlement of the boundary question between Chili and the Avgentine Republic. Justice Barry, in opening the session of the assizes at Cork recently, said the condition of the country displayed by the crimes committed could not be regarded by any right minded man without alarm, fear and almost despair The captain and superintendent of the fated Victoria were on Monday committed trial at the assizes.

In the British house of commons Monday, Mr. Gladstone announced the commissioners under the land bill as follows: Sergeant O'Hagan, Edward Falconer Liston (Liberal), M. P., and John E. Vernon, Lord Pembreke's

Dean Stanley died Monday of erysipelas the age of 65 years and seven months. the age of 65 years and seven months.

The number of German emigrants leaving Hamburg for America in the six months ending June 30 was 75,633, against 32,459 in the same period last year. This indicates that the total number of Germans coming to America in 1881 will be about a quarter of a million. The anti-clerical disturbances at Rome, begun at the funeral procession of Pius IX, still con

Don Carlos having been expelled from France, has gone to England. A large meeting of socialists, calling itself the "revolutionary congress" has been held in London.

Patrick Talfourd Hickie, was arraigned at the Bow street police court and remanded for threatening to kill the Right Hon. Wm. E. Forster, chief secretary for Ireland, unless he released Irish subjects and resigned his secretaryship.

An engagement near Spax resulted in a victory for the French, who killed 300 native insurgents and 200 Arab horsemen.

Minister White start for American in American

Minister White starts for America in August The Suitan has ordered fresh troops to be sent to Tripoli.

The Boers are preparing for another outbreak in the Transvaal.

Victoria Woodhull's daughter Gertrude has been married in London to Lord Colin Campbell, son of the duke of Argyle and brother of the marquis of Lorne. This makes Victoria a sister-in-law of the queens daughter, Princess Louise.

The Italian charge d'affaires in France, has been appointed commander of the legion of honor, which is thought to indicate the desire of France to conciliate Italy.

The steamer Faraday has landed the shore and of the new Atlantic cable pear Land's End.

The desire of France to get an entering wedge in Newfoundland will not be gratified. England will yield her nothing but treaty rights, that is, to coal her vessels at certain ports and to fish and trade under the usual customs restrictions.

Later details of the capture of Sfax say 100 French were killed or wounded. A portion of the town is held by Arabs, who fire from the houses and prefer death to yielding.

It is deuled that Lord Colin's bride is related to Victoria Woodhuil. She is the daughter of E. M. Blood of Brickhill, county Clare, Ireland. The Saxon government has decided to recognize the validity of the election of the socialist Herr Bebel as a member of the Saxon house of representatives. He had been rejected as deficient in proper qualification, but the house of representatives has decided that his wife's taxes may be legally included with his own.

A severe earthquake has taken place in Switzerland and eastern France.
Yellow fever is interfering with work on the Pandma Canal.

DETROIT MARKETS.

Detroit Live stock Market.

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Teachers' Institutes. The following institutes have been arranged for by the superintendent of public instruction for the month of August. Other institutes will also be held during the month for which arrangements have not as yet been per-

	rected:		
	Counties.	Places.	Dates
	New aygo	Newaygo	Aug. 8-12
	Macomb	New Baltimo	re. Aug. 8-12
	Coss	Marcellus	Aug. 15-19
	Eaton	Ulivet	Aug. 15-19
	Montea'm	Lakeview	Aug. 15 19
ì	Van Buren	Hartford	Aug. 15 19
í		Elk Rapids.	
ì		Hastings	
١	Livingston	Howell	Aug. 22 28
ı	Menominee	Menominee:	Aug. 22-26
ı	Saginaw	East Saginav	r. Aug. 22 26
ı	St. Joseph	Constantine.	Aug. 22-26
ı	Wayne	Plymouth	Aug. 22.28
ı	Allegan	Otsego	Aug. 29-Sept.
ı	Gr'nd Travers	e. Traverse City	Aug. 29 Sept.
ı	Gratiot	Ithaca	Aug. 29 Sept.
			Aug. 29 Sept.
			Aug. 29-Sept.
۱	Ionia	Ionia	Aug. 29 Sept.
۱			Aug. 29-Sept.
١	Mason&Oceans	a. Ludington	Aug. 29 Sapt :
1	Moskegon	Montague	Aug. 29 Sept. 4

Almost Young Again. My mother was afficted a long time with leuralgia and a dull, heavy inactive condition f the whole system; headache, nerveus prosof the whole system; headache, nerveus pros-tration, and was almost helpless. No physi-ciaus of medicines did her any good. Three months ago she began to use Hop litters, with such good effect that she seems and feels young again, although over 70 years old. We think there is no other medicine fit to use in the family."—A lady in Providency, R. I.— Journal.

lars, wood pillars, earth mounds and timber posts. A stone cairn is seven and a half feet by eight feet; an earth mound seven feet by fourteen feet; an

O lady, leave thy silken thread
And flowers tapestrie—
There's living roses on the bush,
And blossoms on the tree,
Stoop where thou wilt, thy careless hand
Some random bud will meet;
Thou caust not tread but thou wilt find
The daisy at thy feet. The like the birth-lay of the world,
When earth was born in bloom;
The light is made of many dyes,
The air is all perfume;
There's crim on buds, and white and blue
The very rainbow showers
Have turned to blossom where they fell,
And sown the earth with flowers.

—Thomas Hood.

SUMMER.

"Twinkle, twinkle little star," the ursery rhyme so familiar to everybody, has been revised by a committee f eminent scholars, with the following result:-

result:

Shine with irregular, intermitted light, sparkle at intervals, diminutive luminous heavenly body;

How I conjecture with surprise, not unmixed with uncertainty, what you are,
Located, apparently, at such a remote distance from and at a height so vasity superior to this earth, the planet we inhabit,

Similar in general appearance and refractory powers to the precious primitive octahedron crystal of pure carbon, set in the serial region surrounding the earth.

—Burlington Hawkeye.

Ices After Dinner.

It is a very customary thing to eat ices after dinner; those whose diges tion is not strong should never touch ices, and should avoid them most deinjures a weak digestion and creates a peculiar feeling of weight in the reg-ion of the stomach. Ices do not en-courage the flow of the gastric juice, but discourage it, and where this flow is already weak it must not be diminished. A great wrong is committed by the constant consumption of iced and very cold beverages in hot weather; instead of really cooling, the reaction creates an irritation which almost amounts to inflamation of the walls of the stomach and does not allow the natural flow of the secretion, which is necessary for perfect digestion. It is necssary 10 warn those who suffer from weakened digestion against very cold foods or drinks, because these bring about a peculiar suffering and diminished vitality. The temperature of the stomach has to be maintainen, and any udden chill is fatal to it.

The international cricket match beween Ontario and the United States will be played at Hamilton, Ont., in the latter part of August. France C. Irvine has been selected to represent the Peninsulars, of Detroit.

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If you are costive or dyspeptic, or are suffering from any other of the numerous diseases or the stomach or bowels, it is your own fault if you remain ill, for HOP BITTERS sovereign remedy in all such com-

plaints.

If you are wasting away with any form of Kidney disease, stop tempting Death this moment, and turn for a cure to HOP BITTERS.

If you are sick with that terrible sickness, ervousness, you will find a "Balm in itead" in the use of HOP BITTERS. If you are a frequenter, or a resident of a miasmatic district, barricade your system against the scourge of all countries—malarial, epedemic, billious, and intermittent fevers—by the use of

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Very respectitually, Rev. H. Fernange.

Hop Bitters Co.:

Please accept our grateful ackowledgement for the
Hop B tres you were so kind to donte and which
were such a benefit to us. Yours very gratefully,
Old Ladies of the Eone of the Prieadless.

iron pillar seven feet high, eight inches square at the bottom and four inches at the top; timber posts five feet high and eight inches square. There are three hundred and eighty-five of these marks between the Lake of the Woods and the base of the Rocky Mountains. That portion of the boundary which lies east and west of Red River Valley is marked by cast-iron pillars at even-mile intervals. The British place one every two miles, and the United States one between each British post. Our pillars or markers were made at Detroit. They are hollow iron castings, threeeighths of an inch in thickness, in the form of a truncated pyramid, eight feet high, eight inches square at the bottom, and four inches at the top as tefore stated. They have at the top a solid pyramidal cap, and at the bottom an octagon dange one inch in thickness an octagon flange one inch in thickness.
Upon the opposite faces are cast in letters two inches high, the inscriptions:
"Convention of London" and "October 20, 1818." The inscriptions begin about four feet six inches above the base, and read upwards. The interiors ices after dinner; those whose diges tion is not strong should never touch ices, and should avoid them most determinedly. However hot the weather may be, a too sudden cooling process in ures a weak digestion and creates a completed is eighty-five pounds. The pillars are all set four feet in the ground with their inscription faces to the north and south, and the earth is well settled and stamped about them. well settled and stamped about them. For the wooden posts well-seasoned logs are selected, and the portion above the ground painted red, to prevent swelling and shrinking. These posts do very well, but the Indians cut them down for fuel, and nothing but iron will last very long. Where the line crosses lakes, mountains of stones have been built, the bases being in some places eighteen feet under water and the tops projecting eight feet above the lake's surface at high water mark. In forests the line is marked by felling the timber a red wide and clearing away the underbrush. The work of cutting through the timbered swamps was very great, but it has been well done, and the boundary distinctly marked by the Commissioners, the whole distance from Michigan to Alaska.

An African prince sent to Queen Victoria to learn the secret of England's greatness. She sent back by the embassador a bible and this answer; "Tell the Prince this is the secret of England's greatness."

[Reading, (Pa.) Times and Dispatch.]

Art and Oil.

The Norfolk Virginian of January 16, 1881, refers to the remarkable cure effected by St. Jacobs Oil in the case of Prof. Cromwell,—known the country over for his magnificent Art Illustrations—who had suffered excruciating torments from rheumatism, until he tried the Oil whose effects he says were magical.

Rapid transit-three million miles a day by that comet, and no stoppages for wood and water. (Rural New Yorker.)

The best people will vote for the best man every time. And we judge by the number of the St. Jacobs Oil constituency, that it is the best remedy for the rheumatism known. Prof. Tice, of St. Louis, among others, says so. Why se Troubled with dizziness, loss of appetite, lack of rich blood

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